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The following Act, in relation to the scaling of Confederate Currency, from the time of its first issue to the end of the war, passed at the recent session of the General Assembly:

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SCALE OF DEPRECIATION OF CONFEDERATE CURRENCY.**

WHEREAS, By an ordinance of the Convention, entitled "An ordinance declaring what laws and ordinances are in force, and for other purposes," ratified on the 18th day of October, A. D., 1865, it was the duty of the General Assembly to provide a scale of depreciation of the Confederate currency from the time of its issue to the end of the war; and it is further therein declared, that "all executory contracts, solvable in money, whether under seal or not, made after the depreciation of said currency before the 1st of May, 1865, and unfilled (except official bonds and penal bonds payable to the State) shall be deemed to

have been made with the understanding that they were solvable in money of the said currency, subject, nevertheless, to evidence of different terms of payment in the contract; and it is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following scale of depreciation be and the same is hereby adopted and established as the measure of value of one gold dollar in Confederate currency, for each month, and the fractional parts of the month of December, 1864, from the 1st day of November, 1861, to the 1st day of May, 1862, to-wit: *Scale of depreciation of Confederate currency.*

gold dollar being the unit and measure of value,  
from November 1st, 1861, to May 1st, 1865:

MONTHS.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.
January, ....	\$1 30	\$3 00	\$21 00	\$50 00	...
February, ....	1 30	3 00	21 00	50 00	...
March, ....	1 50	4 00	23 00	60 00	...
April, ....	1 50	5 00	20 00	100 00	...
May, ....	1 50	5 50	19 00	...	...
June, ....	1 50	6 50	18 00	...	...

July, .....	1 50	9 00	21 00	.....
August, .....	1 50	14 00	23 00	.....
September, .....	2 00	14 00	25 00	.....
October, .....	2 00	14 00	26 00	.....
November, \$1 10 .....	2 50	15 00	30 00	.....
December, .....	15	25 00	20 00	.....
December 1st to 10th inclusive, .....			35 00	.....
"    10th to 20th, .....			42 00	.....
"    "    1st to 31st, .....			49 00	.....

And, whereas, Many grave and difficult disputes may arise between growers and administrators

guardians and trustees, and their legatees, distributees, wards and cestuique trust, in the settlement of their accounts and trust, arising from the depreciation of Confederate currency, State treasury notes and bank notes, incident to and growing out of the late war; and that law suits and expensive litigation may be obviated.

parties are hereby empowered to form a full and perfect statement of the case on both sides, which case shall be committed to the determination of one of the Judges of the Superior Courts, chosen by the parties, who is hereby authorized to consider and determine the same, according to equity and good conscience: *Provided, however*, That no part of this section shall be construed to confer

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**THE MANAGERS OF THE NATIONAL** Asylum for discharged volunteer soldiers, authorized by act of Congress, approved March 21, 1866, ask proposals for sites for Asylums by donation or sale. The premises must be situated in one of the loyal States, contain at least two hundred acres of land, and be in a healthy location and easy of access by railroad or otherwise. It is the

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Plans, specifications and estimates for Asylum buildings, including detached cottages, are also asked for the approval of the Board. Liberty

Proposals, plans, specifications and estimates—the first named to be in writing, containing plot and description of grounds and terms and conditions of transfer—must be sent to Major General B. F. Butler, at Lowell, Mass., on or before the 30th day of June 1968.

20th day of June, 1900. BENJ. F. BUTLER,  
President Board of Managers.  
LEWIS B. GUNCKEL, Secretary.  
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